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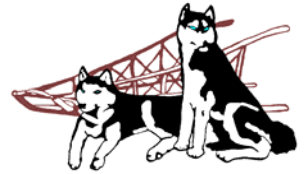


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# Northern California Siberian Husky Club, Inc. Newsletter

July/August 2019



## Upcoming Events

The NCSHC will again attempt to plan a Snow Day. The past few years we have not had enough snow to run or storms have making it too dangerous to travel to the Sierras. Weather permitting, we will plan for a Snow Day in the winter. Make plans to attend the club's Annual Meeting and Holiday Party, to be held in December. Watch upcoming newsletters for confirmed dates.

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## Cache Box

The next meetings of the Board of Directors and General Membership of the Northern California Siberian Husky Club, Inc. will be held on Sunday, August 25, 2019 at the Mensona Kennel Club show at the Sonoma County Fairgrounds, 1350 Bennett Valley Rd., Santa Rosa.

The General Meeting will begin ½ hour after Siberian judging with the Board Meeting to follow.

Directions: Traveling North or South on Highway 101 take the Highway 12 East exit. Take Exit 7B towards Downtown/South E St. Merge onto Bennett Valley Road, the fairgrounds is on the right.

For further information check our website or contact Kelly Collins at 707-694-3165 or brina8283@yahoo.com

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(from the 6/16/19 meeting)

**Kathy** bragged that

- 📢 *Dragon* was Winners Dog on Thursday at the Woofstock circuit for a 4 point major.

**Donna** bragged that

- 📢 *Henley* (Ch. Karnovanda's Desperado) was Best of Opposite Sex at the Northern California Siberian Husky Club Specialty on Friday

- 📢 *Stephen* (GCHS. Karnovanda's Stephen Coldbear) won his 6<sup>th</sup> Best In Show on 6/15/19!

**Kelly** bragged that

- 📢 *Jaycee* finished her championship at the Oakland Kennel Club show on Saturday by going Best of Winners for a 4 point major.

- 📢 *Journee* was WB on Sunday at the Coyote Hills Kennel Club show. At the Contra Costa Kennel Club shows she went Best in Sweeps on Saturday and Best of Opposite in Sweeps on Sunday.

- 📢 *Piper* (Basenji) won back to back majors at the Idaho Circuit with her co-breeder and now needs 2 points to finish.

**Lori** bragged that

- 📢 *Schuyler* went Winners Bitch for a 5 point major at the Northern California Siberian Husky Club show on Saturday.

- 📢 *Via* was Best of Opposite in Sweepstakes at the No. California Siberian Husky Club specialty on Saturday with Gabrielle handling.

- 📢 *Kit* and Gabrielle placed 6<sup>th</sup> at the Woodland Stallion Station horse show.

## UPCOMING SHOWS

- 08/03/2019.....*Richmond Dog Fanciers Club, Inc.*  
Siberian Judge: Sandra J. Wolfskill  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 07/17/19
- 08/04/2019.....*Richmond Dog Fanciers Club, Inc.*  
Siberian Judge: Shalisa D. Neely  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 07/17/19
- 08/24/2019.....*Mensona Kennel Club*  
Siberian Judge: Elizabeth Muthard  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 08/07/19
- 08/25/2019.....*Mensona Kennel Club*  
Siberian Judge: Rick Gschwender  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 08/07/19
- 08/31/2019.....*Gold Country Kennel Club*  
Siberian Judge: JoAnne M. Buehler  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 8/14/19
- 09/01/2019.....*Gold Country Kennel Club*  
Siberian Judge: Eva Berg  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 8/14/19
- 09/12/2019.....*Lake County Kennel Club of No. California*  
Siberian Judge: Lee Herr  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 08/28/19
- 09/13/2019.....*Lake County Kennel Club of No. California*  
Siberian Judge: Betty Ann Leininger  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 08/28/19
- 09/14/2019.....*Sir Francis Drake Kennel Club*  
Siberian Judge: Nikki Riggsbee  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 08/28/19
- 09/15/2019.....*Sir Francis Drake Kennel Club*  
Siberian Judge: Janet Fink  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 08/28/19
- 09/21/2019.....*Donner Trial Kennel Club, Inc.*  
Siberian Judge: John P. Wade  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 09/04/19
- 09/22/2019.....*Donner Trial Kennel Club, Inc.*  
Siberian Judge: George E. Marquis  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 09/04/19
- 10/12/2019.....*Sierra-Tuolumne Kennel Club*  
Siberian Judge: Sharol Candace Way  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 09/25/19
- 10/13/2019.....*Sierra-Tuolumne Kennel Club*  
Siberian Judge: Richard J. Lewis  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 09/25/19
- 10/18/2019.....*Skyline Dog Fanciers of San Mateo Co.*  
Siberian Judge: Robert R. Robinson  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 10/02/19
- 10/19/2019.....*Del Valle Kennel Club of Livermore*  
Siberian Judge: Vicki Seiler-Cushman  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 10/2/19
- 10/20/2019.....*Del Valle Kennel Club of Livermore*  
Siberian Judge: Dr. John Reeve-Newson  
Supt/Secretary: MB-F, Inc. closes 10/2/19

# AWARDS

TITLE COMPLETION: AKC Puppy of Achievement; S.T.A.R Puppy



## Kochevoev's Black Ice Ahead

Chipper is from our November 2017 litter which was the first we raised since 2006. She started her puppy socialization class at Truckee Meadows Dog Training Club as soon as she had completed her vaccination series and passed all the criteria. At her first conformation show she was BOB in 4-6 puppy class over competition and Working Group 2. In regular classes, and her second weekend at shows, she was awarded a five-point major which was later revoked by AKC because they had held her registration "for review". This was a Major heartbreak for us (pun intended). But at the Northern California Siberian Husky Club 2018 Special Specialty she was awarded another 5-point major by Breeder Judge Ann Mariah Cook, followed by a 2 point win the following day. A few RWB from puppy classes and then a 3-point major Under breeder judge Marie Falconer. Then some minor points with minor points with even I having success in the ring. She finished her first year of competition with 13 points and both majors (that counted) in very limited showing toward her breed championship. Shortly after her November birthday we received a certificate from AKC congratulating her on being awarded "Puppy of Achievement".

She was a puppy I had my eye on almost from day 1. As she began to trot around the yard, her effortless movement and single tracking solidified my hopes. She had a black heart on her belly spot and she truly has become my Heart dog. We are working on obedience and rally hoping for her to continue in her dam's paw prints as versatile companion performance Dog.

AKC: WS588123/03

OFA: Too Young

CAER/CERF/SHOR: Sh-EYE2100/16F

Breeder: Robert & Nancy Mead & Kelley Leedy

Owner: Kelly Collins & Leslie Carpenter

Sire: Ch. Wolverineen Walk On The Wild Side

Dam: Ch. Hidden Treasure's Blue Ice Chip RN, CGCA, CGCU, FDC

Birthdate: November 6, 2017

Title Completion: POA - 9/29/18; S.T.A.R. 4/19/18



# AWARDS

TITLE COMPLETION: Farm Dog Certification; Achiever Dog



**Ch. Hidden Treasure's Blue Ice Chip RN, CGCA, CGCU FDC**

Icey has competed in multiple venues in her first three years. Then AKC implemented an "Achiever Dog" award for dogs that have competed in several avenues of dog sport.

She finished her conformation championship with co-owner handler, Kelley Leedy showing her in all her shows. I took her to the performance titles of Rally Novice, Canine Good Citizen CGC, CGCA, CGCU. She had also passed Instinct in Barn Hunt and received TT from American Temperament Testing group. But all had been before AKC started their awards. We had been working toward other obedience titles but Ice took time out for a litter. Last December our obedience club decided to host a Farm Dog Certification test. So, on a bitter cold, frozen December morning we participated. Ice passed the components that she was evaluated on both times. However, a donkey that stuck his head out of the stall in the bard did startle her. A few weeks later much to our surprise we received the "Achiever Dog" certificate in the mail.

Currently Ice and I are taking Advanced Beginner classes and Rally Intermediate classes and doing Barn Hunt trials in hopes of adding more to her accomplishments. If I could convince Bob to do the record keeping, she could also get WPD as they cover several miles daily in the foothills above home.

AKC: WS466014/05

OFA: SH-19527G35F-VPI

CAER/CERF/SHOR: SH-Eye 962/40F-VPI

Breeder: Josh & Bonnie Wilson

Owner: Robert & Nancy Bead; Bonnie Wilson; Kelley Leedy

Sire: Ch. Hidden Treasure's Sundance Kid

Dam: GCH. Hidden Treasure's Tip Of The Iceberg

Birthdate: January 11, 2014

Title Completion: Farm Dog 12/8/18; Achiever Dog 12/8/18

# IT TAKES A VILLAGE!

By Kelly Collins

As I reflect back on a pretty amazing year for Serenade the phrase it takes a village keeps popping into my head. I truly would not be where I am today without the help of some amazing people.

I never knew what I was getting into back in 1982 when I answered a newspaper ad (I know, I know) for a black and white Siberian puppy. That ad led me to Sherry Al-Mufti and my very first b/w, blue eyed little girl. With Sherry's guidance and patience Sabrina earned a CDX with an invitation to attend the Gaines Obedience Classic. One of only three Siberians to compete that year, the other two were Sherry's dogs. Sherry also convinced me to try out conformation, a third-place ribbon at a match and I was hooked. Back to Sherry for my 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> Siberians. Sherry was an amazing mentor who instilled a love for proper Siberian movement that I still strive for today.

My second, Micah, became my first champion. Again, thanks to Sherry's help and patience with a newbie learning the dog show ring. And for connecting me with Sheila Polk who taught me to show.

Sherry was also there for me when I lost my 4<sup>th</sup> Siberian, second champion, Lacey while attempting my first breeding. Probably why I dislike breeding so much and have only bred a few litters all these years. When I was ready, Sherry allowed me to lease one of her girls to breed. That breeding brought Sue and Richard Jung into my Siberian village.

The Jung's dog, Manny, was who I had used with Lacey. After losing Lacey Sue and Richard allowed Manny to stay with me to help with the empty hole left by Lacey. Although my heart broke from losing Lacey, at least I didn't have to look at an empty kennel. Manny and Sparkle gave me my first litter. Prior to the breeding Sue was planning a breeding I was very interested in and had agreed to letting me take a girl from the breeding. When I found there was only one girl my heart sank. Much to my surprise Sue was perfectly willing to allow me to take the only girl, Nadia, on a co-ownership. Nadia produced my second litter and my first two home bred champions.

Through showing dogs I have made some amazing friendships. One of my closest is with Judy Tamagni and her family. Judy's daughter Jessica helped me show Ashley from this second breeding and acquire her championship. Ashley gave me my 3<sup>rd</sup> litter which produced my 3<sup>rd</sup> homebred champion, Merlin, co-owned by Judy and Jessica.

Around the time I was looking for another Siberian I had the amazing opportunity to get a girl after the unfortunate passing of Judy Rogers in Colorado. Timber came into my life along with her breeders Jody and Leslie

Carpenter. Timber produced my 4<sup>th</sup> litter with Merlin and 3 more home bred champions. Logan, co-owned by Diane Willett who showed Logan to his championship, Piper, and Achilles.

When I ran out of dogs to show I went back to Leslie and "borrowed" Selena to show. It was soon clear that Selena was there to stay. After finishing her championship, Selena produced my 5<sup>th</sup> and most recent litter from which Jaycee became my latest home bred champion and the quickest I have ever finished a Siberian.

Another of my closest friendships through Siberians is with Lori Chou. Lori co-owns Jaycee and took her to the 2018 National when I could not attend. Special thanks to village members Laura and Adele for driving a crazy untrained 8-month-old to the National. And beyond my wildest dreams Lori and Jaycee won Reserve Winners Bitch at the National with her co-breeder and co-owner Leslie at ring side to cheer her on. Jaycee finished her championship this year with the help of Lori and Diane, winning a Breed from the classes over several specials from the 9-12 puppy class with yours truly showing along the way. Jaycee and her sister Journee are the accumulation of all the friendships I have made over 27 years in Siberians. Friends who have entrusted me with their dogs, who have been my traveling companions and sounding boards when talking dogs.

Special thanks to those mentioned above, Sherry (who started it all), Judy, Jessica, Lori, Leslie, Sue and Richard, I would not be here if not for each of you and I Truly value our friendships through the years. To my dog show village friends, Cheri, Diane, Nancy, Kelley, Randee and Peggy (putting up with my crazy phone calls when panicking over whelping), Brooke, Linda, thanks for all the fun trips and weekend camps at the shows (started with an 8x8 canopy, up to a 12x12 and eyeing the 13x13). To Donna Beckman for her mentorship, friendship and our many hours of talking about the breed. To the non-Siberian village member friend, Pat Cembura, who has been instrumental in my Basenji success, for her help in litter whelping and dew claw removal. And last, but certainly not least, to my Mom. Mom has been there through all the ups and downs, helping with whelping the litters, being there for her doggy grandkids when they take their last breath, dog sitting when I go on road trips, helping to set up and take the dog show camps, and for all the moral support in my decisions along the way, thanks for being my rock!

Thanks to everyone who has stood by me on this crazy journey, it truly does take a village!!!

# SHOW RESULTS

## Yosemite Kennel Club

### 6/6/19 P. Beisel-McIlwaine

WD: Black Dragon Of The Midnight Sun K&G Henderson\*\*\*

RWD: Astra Brama Tim Russian Angel For Nanook

C Rivera, C Lachman

WB/BOW: Miwuk's Lavendar And Lace P Pisano

RWB: Naketi's Aura R&K Loren

BOB: GCH Husker Du's Inspiring Princess Leia S&G Laughton

BOS: GCHB Topaz Tumbling Dice II C French, L House

SELECT: GCHG Antara's Homey Don't Play Dat! T Devlin,  
E Brandon-Criqui

SELECT: GCHG Livewire's Rumor Has It @ Britestar J Alarcon,  
L House

## Yosemite Kennel Club

### 6/7/19 R.H. Slay

WD/BOW: Simbol Reis Aviator Treveler In Time A Bopp

RWD: Antara's You Can't Play A Player T Devlin,  
E Brandon-Criqui

WB: Kristari's Here Comes The Storm S Rubinson

RWB: Arctic Black Widow A Ong

BOB: GCH Antara's Blue Eyed Floozy T Devlin, E Brandon

BOS: GCHB Topaz Tumbling Dice II C French, L House

SELECT: GCH Karnovanda's Desperado D Beckman\*\*\*  
J Russell, S Hubbach

SELECT: Ch. Miwuk's Lavendar And Lace P Pisano

## Contra Costa Kennel Club

### 6/8/19 J Luna Liebes (Sweepstakes)

Best In Sweepstakes: Serenades's Don't Stop Believen'

K Collins\*\*\*, L Carpenter

Best of Opposite in Sweeps: Antara's You Can't Play A Player

T Devlin, E Brandon-Criqui

## K Ramey-LeBlanc (Breed)

WD: Husker Du's Man Of The Hour CGC S Chichester,  
T League

RWD: Myla's Ascent Of Denali M&C Pesche

WB/BOW: Thunder Paws Ice Queen S Barber

RWB: Naketi's Aura R&K Loren

BOB: GCHG Antara's Homey Don't Play Dat! T Devlin,  
E Brandon-Criqui

BOS: Ch. Miwuk's Lavendar And Lace P Pisano

SELECT: Ch. Karnovanda's Desperado D Beckman\*\*\*, J Russell,  
S Hubbach

SELECT: GCH Husker Du's Inspiring Princess Leia  
S&G Laughton

## Contra Costa Kennel Club

### 6/8/19 Mrs. J. McCleary (Sweepstakes)

Best In Sweepstakes: Antara's You Can't Play A Player

T Devlin, E Brandon-Criqui

Best of Opposite in Sweeps: Serenades's Don't Stop Believen'

K Collins\*\*\*, L Carpenter

## W P Shelton (Breed)

WD: Antara's You Can't Play A Player T Devlin,  
E Brandon-Criqui

RWD: Simbol Reis Aviator Treveler In Time A Bopp

WB/BOW: Pichodi's Black Diamond Baby @ Miwuk  
P Pisano, K Holden

RWB: Arctic Black Widow A Ong

BOB: GCH Antara's Blue Eyed Floozy T Devlin, E Brandon

BOS: GCHB Topaz Tumbling Dice II C French, L House

SELECT: Ch. Karnovanda's Desperado D Beckman\*\*\*,  
J Russell, S Hubbach

SELECT: GCHG Livewire's Rumor Has It @ Britestar  
J Alarcon, L House

## Lost Coast Kennel Club of California

### 7/5/19 D Vice

WD/BOS: Britestar's Karhu Rex McGee T Vroman & Little

WB/BOS: Livewires Gold Medal Insignia @ Britestar

M Rusher, L House

RWB: Serenade's Don't Stop Believen' K Collins\*\*\*,  
L Carpenter

BOB: GCHB Britestars Golden Design @ Umunhum TDHX  
CGC, TKN R McQueen\*\*\*, B House

SELECT: GCHB Topaz Tumbling Dice II C French, L House

SELECT: Ch Britestars Aren't I Wovely? CD RE SIN  
S Borok, B Hutchings, B House

## Lost Coast Kennel Club of California

### 7/6/19 Mrs. C Meyer

WD/BOS: Britestar's Karhu Rex McGee T Vroman & Little

WB/BOS: Serenade's Don't Stop Believen' K Collins\*\*\*,  
L Carpenter

RWB: Livewires Gold Medal Insignia @ Britestar  
M Rusher, L House

BOB: GCHB Topaz Tumbling Dice II C French, L House

BOS: GCH Pachodi's Insurgent Of Arcticgrace K Myoshi  
SELECT: GCHB Britestars Golden Design @ Umunhum

TDHX, CGC, TKN R McQueen\*\*\*, B House  
SELECT: Ch Britestars Aren't I Wovely? CD RE SIN

S Borok, B Hutchings, B House

\*\*\* Denotes NCSHC Member



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## **Lost Coast Kennel Club of California**

**7/6/19 Mrs. L M Riedel**

WD/BOS: Britestar's Karhu Rex McGee T Vroman & Little

WB/BOS: Serenade's Don't Stop Believen' K Collins\*\*\*,  
L Carpenter

RWB: Livewires Gold Medal Insignia @ Britestar  
M Rusher, L House

BOB: GCHB Topaz Tumbling Dice II C French, L House

BOS: Ch Serenade's Midnight Dreamer K Collins\*\*\*,  
L Chou\*\*\*, L Carpenter

SELECT: GCHB Britestars Golden Design @ Umunhum

TDHX, CGC, TKN R McQueen\*\*\*, B House

SELECT: GCH Pachodi's Insurgent Of Arcticgrace K Miyoshi

## **Del Monte Kennel Club, Inc.**

**7/13/19 Mr. C Jouanchicot**

WD/BOW: Black Dragon Of The Midnight Sun  
K&G Henderson\*\*\*

RWD: Myla's Ascent Of Denali M&C Pesche

WB: Livewires Gold Medal Insignia @ Britestar  
M Rusher, L House

BOB: Ch. Karnovanda's Desperado D Beckman\*\*\*, J Russell,  
S Hubbach

BOS: Miwuk's Lavender And Lace P Pisano

SELECT: GCHB Poli's Tempo Principale

## **Del Monte Kennel Club, Inc.**

**7/14/19 Mr. A D Hussin**

WD/BOW: Myla's Ascent Of Denali M&C Pesche

RWD: Black Dragon Of The Midnight Sun  
K&G Henderson\*\*\*

WB/BOS: Livewires Gold Medal Insignia @ Britestar  
M Rusher, L House

BOB: Ch. Karnovanda's Desperado D Beckman\*\*\*, J Russell,  
S Hubbach

SELECT: GCHB Britestars Golden Design @ Umunhum

TDHX, CGC, TKN R McQueen\*\*\*, B House

## **Camellia Capital Kennel Club**

**7/27/19 Dr. S. Kaluzniacki**

WD: Black Dragon Of The Midnight Sun K&G Henderson\*\*\*

RWD: Husker Du's Knight In Shining Armor At Arcticgrace  
K Miyoshi

WB/BOW/BOS: Gjel Zadora D Zadora

RWB: Serenade's Don't Stop Believen' K Collins\*\*\*,  
L Carpenter

BOB: GCHB Topaz Tumbling Dice II C French, L House

SELECT: GCHB Britestars Golden Design @ Umunhum

TDHX, CGC, TKN R McQueen\*\*\*, B House

SELECT: GCH Pachodi's Insurgent Of Arcticgrace K Miyoshi

## **Camellia Capital Kennel Club**

**7/28/19 G K Newton**

WD/BOW: Black Dragon Of The Midnight Sun  
K&G Henderson \*\*\*

RWD: Husker Du's Knight In Shining Armor At Arcticgrace  
K Miyoshi

WB: Livewires Gold Medal Insignia @ Britestar  
M Rusher, L House

RWB: Serenade's Don't Stop Believen' K Collins\*\*\*,  
L Carpenter

BOB: GCHB Topaz Tumbling Dice II C French, L House

BOB: GCH Pachodi's Insurgent Of Arcticgrace K Miyoshi

SELECT: GCHB Britestars Golden Design @ Umunhum  
TDHX, CGC, TKN R McQueen\*\*\*, B House

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